

TRAVEL IN AIR NOW ASSURED

ORVILLE WRIGHT FLIES AT WILL
—IN AIR AN HOUR AND
TWO MINUTES.

MADE THREE FLIGHTS IN DAY

On the Last Trip the Aviator Carried
Lieut. Lahm The Aeronaut of
the United States Signal
Corps.

Washington. — Orville Wright in three phenomenal flights at Fort Myer Wednesday established new aeroplane records that not only assure the success of the official trials before the Army board, but indicate that aerial flight is now only a matter of development.

War on land and sea will find in the aeroplane, it is now conceded by military men, a valuable means of reconnaissance and possibly, carnage.

Two flights of approximately one hour each. Another flight in which two men were whirled through the air for upward of six minutes were the achievements of the Wright brothers' aeroplane Wednesday. That these flights, record breaking as they were, will even be surpassed by Orville Wright during his trials at Fort Myer is confidently predicted.

The first flight made Wednesday morning in which the machine circles the drill grounds at the fort 57 minutes and 31 seconds was surpassed Wednesday evening when a flight of sixty-two minutes and fifteen seconds was made.

Makes Another Record.

Not satisfied with breaking all distance and time records for a heavier than air flying machine, Mr. Wright took Lieutenant Frank P. Lahm, the aeronaut of the signal corps for a spin around the drill grounds and making a new record for a two man flight.

All this happened so quickly and unostentatiously, that the spectators, among whom were members of the cabinet and high officers of the army and navy could hardly realize that history had been made and that a new era in the progress of the civilized world was begun.

The morning flight was witnessed by only a handful of enthusiasts, but the news spread so rapidly, that fully a thousand people gathered to see the afternoon event.

At 5:16, the aeroplane rose grandly into space, and sailed over the green sward of the drill grounds. Higher and higher it rose turning at slight angle as the aviator brought it around at the far side of the field and raced along at increasing speed.

There was hardly a quiver of the aeroplane in the first few rounds of the field. Round after round, the machine traveled on, cutting short turns, shooting along the stretches and presenting somewhat the appearance of an automobile racing about an imaginary course in the air.

The aviator paid little heed to anything but his levers until the crowd raised a cheer that told him of his new achievement.

Then Mr. Wright waved his acknowledgments.

Before the flight was begun a watch was tied to the seat next to Wright and when a little later he saw that he had stayed aloft for over an hour, the time required in order for him to fulfill his contract with the government he made for "mother earth."

Swooping down in a sort of bump the bumps fashion, the machine bore down in the direction of the crowd which quickly scattered fearing that the aeroplane would run them down.

Raising cloud of dust as it slid along on the skids, the aeroplane which weighs nearly a thousand pounds came to a stop within fifty feet of the crowd. As Mr. Wright stepped from the seat and removed his goggles, he was greeted with lusty cheers.

Strongest Man in New York.

Oyster Bay, N. Y.—That Governor Hughes of New York, is the strongest man to head the republican ticket in New York State at the coming election was the opinion expressed by a number of party leaders of Massena county after a conference with President Roosevelt at Sagamore Hill Tuesday. The conference was in session about one hour.

Wabash, Ind.—Mrs. Susan Inks died Tuesday morning lacking but five days of being 100 years old. It was her boast that she would live to pass the century mark. She had three children, each more than 70 years old.

Says Snowball is Safe.

St. Paul, Minn.—A special to the Pioneer Press from Virginia City, Minnesota, says that the reported burning of the town of Snowball Tuesday afternoon is not true. A man who was at Snowball Tuesday reports that there is no fire there.

School Was Too Much.

Lancaster, Penn.—William the 14-year-old son of Leander Sheetz, a hotel keeper committed suicide at his home Tuesday because his parents compelled him to go to school.

COALS FOR MANILA

VESSELS HALT AT ALBANY BEFORE MAKING 3,649 MILE RUN.

WERE STARTLED BY TARS

Residents and Visitors Gaze With Wonder at Jackies From the United States.

Albany, West Australia. — The American fleet Friday began its last enjoyment of Australian hospitality with hundreds of sailors and officers ashore to stretch their legs after the cruise from Melbourne.

The fleet anchored at 7 o'clock Friday, after an uneventful trip of seven days.

Albany's population has been augmented by nearly 10,000 visitors and the fleet and sailors are just as much a matter of wonderment to them as they were at the other Australian ports.

Prepare for Long Cruise.

Much of the time here will be occupied in coaling the fleet for the 3,649-mile cruise to Manila, for which port the ships leave next Thursday.

Premier M. J. Moore is doing everything in his power to make the Americans feel that, notwithstanding they are on the other side of the globe from home, they are among friends and brothers.

The British Cruiser Gibraltar, with a crew of 600, will assist in the entertainment of the fleet.

The trip to Manila, provided the weather permits, will be utilized in a series of battle formation maneuvers. The health of the sailors and officers is a matter of much gratification. The men are in splendid shape and few cases of sickness are reported.

ROOSEVELT'S IRE AROUSED.

Hears of Hepburn Decision While Ordering Continuation of Fight.

Oyster Bay, N. Y. — President Roosevelt yesterday told Attorney General Bonaparte to keep right after the Standard Oil Corporation and the coal roads. The attorney general received a copy of the Standard Oil's answer to the government petition for a rehearing of the rebate case, in which Mr. Rockefeller's corporation was fined \$29,000,000 and the fine afterward set aside.

With a copy of the corporation's reply in his pocket, Mr. Bonaparte came here to find out just what he should do. The president told him not to let up a moment in the fight.

While the president and Mr. Bonaparte were devising new methods of procedure against the Oil Trust the president received a telegram announcing that the United States had lost its case against the coal-carrying roads in the Hepburn rate case.

The news seemingly aroused the president's ire, and he tramped about his veranda, talking to the attorney general in a vigorous manner.

KERN TO GO SOUTH.

Vice-Presidential Candidate is Wanted in Georgia and Tennessee.

Chicago, Ill. — John W. Kern Democratic vice-presidential candidate will make a speaking trip in the south in October and the National Committee is now arranging the itinerary.

He will deliver one or two speeches in Maryland and will speak in all probability in West Virginia and Delaware the first week in October. He will speak in Winston-Salem, N. C., on Oct. 7, when the state fair will be in progress.

The vice-presidential candidate has also been urged to make speeches in Georgia and Tennessee.

NEW ILLINOIS RAILWAY

Line From Galesburg, Northwest Licensed to Incorporate.

Springfield, Ill.—A license to incorporate was granted by the secretary of state to the Galesburg, Alton and Northwestern Railway company.

The principal office is Galesburg and the capital stock is nominally \$10,000. The road is to be constructed from Galesburg to Rock Island and the City of Muscatine, Iowa.

The incorporators and first board of directors are Lafayette Weinberg, B. C. Churchill, F. W. Latimer, B. L. Arnold, E. R. Drake, Charles L. Hibbard, C. F. Hurburn, Lake W. Sanborn and Thomas W. Peterson.

Paymaster Suddenly Insane.

Parkerburg, West. Va. — James C. Mills, paymaster on the war ship Chicago, of the United States Navy, became suddenly insane Thursday at the hotel Monroe in this city where he was a guest. His home is in Roadsville, Ohio.

Candidate Would Withdraw.

Ravenna, Ohio.—Thomas L. Rockwell, candidate for lieutenant governor announced Thursday that he would withdraw from the Democratic state ticket. He had preferred the nomination of state secretary.

Lexington, Ky. — Fire Thursday night at Point Lick in Gerard county, 12 miles from Lancaster, Ky., caused a loss of \$100,000 and is still burning.

Edwin Gut, former mayor of St. Charles, Mo., who was stricken following a strenuous campaign for the nomination for county treasurer, dies.

LOOTS \$52,000 EXPRESS BAG

PORTLAND THIEF ROBS WELLS FARGO COMPANY IN CLERKS' RUSH HOUR.

GEMS AND NOTES DISAPPEAR

Package Reached Destination From Salt Lake August 21, Then Disappeared—Detectives Have a Clue.

Portland, Ore.—An express package worth \$52,000 has disappeared and the Wells-Fargo Express Company's detectives are at work Tuesday trying to run down the thief.

The package was sent from Salt Lake to Portland and contained jewelry, notes and valuable papers. It reached Portland on the night of August 21, but immediately afterward disappeared. How the theft was accomplished is not known, but the express company's detectives believe they have a promising clue.

Supt. Beckwith of the Portland Express Company, in a statement Tuesday, said the detectives are working

Japanese Spy After Navy Yard Secrets

Boston, Mass.—Double guards are on duty at the Charlestown Navy Yard here, and every visitor is being subjected to the greatest scrutiny because of the recent visits of Japanese spies, who are said to be led by a beautiful English woman in a daring attempt to learn the secret of the new Davis torpedo, the recent successful tests of which caused a sensation in naval circles and broke the projectile corner maintained up to that time by Japan.

The fact that spies were busy became known when, without warning, the whistles which give notice of the escape of prisoners began to bellow and a whole battalion of marines were turned out to search the yard.

on a clue which is not ready to be made public.

The package disappeared some time between midnight, August 21, and 1:30 a. m. August 22, the busiest hour of the twenty-four for the express clerks.

SNOWBALL (MINN.) BURNS.

Forest Fires Again in Progress in Mesaba Range.

Duluth, Minn.—Forest fires are again raging in the Mesaba range and the town of Snowball, with 100 population, is reported to be wiped out. Hibbing and several other small towns are now threatened.

After destroying Snowball and burning over a territory of 25 miles, the fires died down again Tuesday. The fact that the renewal of the fires resulted from only a slight breeze, shows that they are still a serious menace.

Snowball was a suburb of Hibbing, and its inhabitants had no difficulty in escaping to that town.

The citizens of the ruined town of Chisholm Tuesday began the work of rebuilding the town, after the city council, at a meeting in Hibbing, had adopted a new building ordinance, providing that all buildings constructed after May 1 next must be fireproof.

The refugees from the destroyed towns are praying for rain, but so far the prospects are not bright. The state troops are still on guard at Chisholm.

PRESIDENT NOT FIRED UPON.

Story of Attempted Assassination is Denounced as a Fake.

Oyster Bay.—There is little or no foundation for the report that President Roosevelt, while enjoying a horseback ride on Saturday afternoon, was fired upon from ambush by some crank, as told in sensational morning papers.

An official denial is made by the secret service men that any such incident had taken place, and the sensational report is explained as the result of active investigation following the arrest of a man bent on seeing the chief executive, who acted queerly and tried to pass the secret service men on guard at the president's house.

Renew Fight on Cummins.

Des Moines, Ia. — When both houses of the state legislature met at noon Tuesday to vote separately on a candidate for the short term for the United States senate, the breach in the republican party was as wide as ever. The "standpat" held another caucus Tuesday and decided to stick to their determination not to vote for Gov. Cummins under any circumstances.

Increase Working Time.

Altoona, Pa.—Orders were posted at the Pennsylvania railroad shops Thursday increasing the working time to fifty hours a week. The order takes effect Friday and affects 10,000 employees, most of whom have been working only 36 hours a week since last November.

GLASGOW MOB RIOT

POLICE BATTLE TILL DAWN WITH 7,000 OF CITY'S ARMY OF UNEMPLOYED.

THE OFFICIALS ARE ALARMED

Many Thousands Are Out of Work and Continuation of Outbreaks is Feared—Police Use Clubs Freely.

Glasgow.—Following a night of rioting between a mob of 7,000 of Glasgow's army of unemployed and an augmented force of both mounted and foot policemen, the city Thursday clearly shows the effect of one of the wildest experiences in its history. The streets are littered, scores of houses are damaged, their windows smashed and hundreds of terror-stricken citizens are guarding their property with arms, fearing a recurrence of the outbreak.

Beginning at midnight, when the mob of unemployed, under the leadership of socialist agitators, attempted to make a raid on the aristocratic residential district of the city, and continuing until dawn, the police were in a constant clash with the mob, which

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Just what caused the disturbance was at first problematical, as the authorities refused to discuss the matter. It has been discovered, however, that two Japanese have recently been prowling about the yard and trying to pump the enlisted men as to the Davis torpedo.

That the government is cognizant of the efforts to learn the secret of the torpedo is believed to be true.

Chief Wilkie of the Secret Service was here on Labor Day and some of his operatives are known to be busy about the yard. It is believed they are seeking to make connection between the Japanese who are known to have been spying on the yard and the white woman under whose cover they work.

broke up into scores of small detachments at the first assault by the mounted police.

These detachments were pursued all over the city, the police remorselessly clubbing the rioters wherever an outbreak was attempted.

The city still is in a chaotic condition and it is not known how many were injured in the prolonged melee. Ten mob carried away hundreds of its men who were injured by the police and several deaths undoubtedly will result from the fierce tactics the police were forced to adopt. Many of the mob were armed and shots were fired frequently, though no one is known to have been hit. The entire city was awakened by the commotion and citizens everywhere armed themselves, fearing attacks from the mob.

At dawn the rioters dispersed and comparative quiet was restored. A dozen of the ringleaders have been arrested. The entire police force of the city, with hundreds of reserves, is patrolling the streets.

UNDERTAKER NOT NEEDED.

Woman Twice Thought Dead Recovers and Stops Funeral Plans.

Winsted, Conn.—Believing Mrs. John Barnum to be dead, Hawley Wickwire, living a short distance off Falls Village, called undertaker Hornbeck. As the body was being laid out, one of the woman's knees raised. Unnerved, Mrs. Wickwire summoned her husband.

Mrs. Barnum revived in a few minutes and carried on a conversation with them. The next day she became unconscious again. Friends after watching for some time for signs of life, had decided there was not the slightest doubt of the woman's death, when one of them discovered a slight pulsation of the veins of the neck. In a brief time Mrs. Barnum was again able to talk. She is still alive.

REFORM OR MOVE OUT.

Des Moines Inaugurates Crusade Against Social Evil Trust.

Chicago.—A dispatch to the Record Herald from Des Moines, Iowa says: Reform or move out of Des Moines before September 15, is the order that passed through the red light district of Des Moines Tuesday night. It comes as the result of a crusade started by the newspapers here ten days ago against an alleged "social evil trust," consisting of landlords, professional bondsmen, money lenders, and small merchants. Unlike most drastic moves of this kind, the present plan contemplates the providing of an opportunity for every person affected to lead an upright life and earn an honest living.

"Red Special" in Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Cal. — Eugene V. Debs Socialist candidate for president of the United States spoke here Thursday night. He arrived on his "red special" from Pasadena where he also spoke.

TOWNS IN FIRE PERIL

GRAND MARAIS PARTLY DESTROYED AND OTHER TOWNS SEEM DOOMED.

THE REFUGEES SEEK LAKE

Hundred of Families Made Homeless by Forest Blaze Pluck to Shore—Plans for Relief Under Way.

Duluth, Minn.—With Grand Marais, a town of 1,500 on the north shore, partly destroyed, and Beaver Bay, eighty miles away, also attacked by the flames, and a dozen smaller towns in peril, it is apparent Saturday that unless rain comes within 48 hours the entire forest fire swept district is doomed to total destruction.

Among the larger places in peril are Coleraine, Boyer, Nashawauk, Marble, Hibbing, Hurl, Big Bay, Chicago Bay, Crafton, Aurora, Mountain Iron, Keneshaw, Port William, Ontonagon, Ontonagon, Port Arthur, Ontonagon, Cascade and Nutsen.

The Great Northern, Northern Pacific and all state railroads have fire trains out fighting to save property along the lines and protect bridges and stations. It is a battle in which all able-bodied men throughout the threatened territory are taking a hand and hundreds are near exhaustion as a result of the week's struggle.

Steamer Gives Aid.

The Gopher, the Minnesota training ship, Friday night succeeded in removing many refugees from Grand Marais. The steamer America, in response to an appeal from Gov. Johnson, has gone to Beaver Bay to bring away the people there. There is little hope of saving these towns.

The entire north shore is alive with wild animals of all descriptions, driven out by the flames. Residents of small settlements also have deserted their homes and fled to the lake for protection.

The night scene along the shore was awe-inspiring as seen from the water, according to rescuers who were on the Gopher. For a distance of more than a hundred miles the flames appear to be almost continuous. The roar of the fire can be heard for miles. Great trees are suddenly enveloped in flames, the fire rushing up balsams with a swish like a gigantic rocket. The great peak beds of northern Minnesota are all ablaze.

Even while the flames are at work provisions are being made as rapidly as possible to relieve the sufferers. In response to Gov. Johnson's appeal \$45,000 has been raised by the Duluth committee for the homeless refugees. The supply of provisions and clothing now seems to be ample. Similar relief measures are being taken in all the cities throughout the state not affected by the forest fires.

CUMMINS' HOPE IS PRIMARY.

He Will Ask Iowa Voters to Nominate Him for Senator.

Des Moines, Ia.—With a further deadlock of the Legislature on the United States Senatorship prevented by a recess taken Thursday until Nov. 24, both the Cummins supporters and the "standpat" Friday are preparing for a fight in the fall primaries over the senatorship which will overshadow the National election.

Adjournment was taken after an agreement between the two Republican factions that the man who receives the most votes at the primary for the long term in the United States senate would also be elected by the legislature to the short term.

Gov. Cummins Friday again announced that he would be a candidate. The "standpat" conferred to select a man on whom they can combine. It is believed that former Gov. Jackson of Des Moines will be the "standpat" candidate.

HELD FOR WOMAN'S DEATH.

Dallas Man Accused of Killing Boarding House Keeper.

Dallas.—Following the death of Mrs. M. B. Looney, a boarding house keeper, Adolph Goolsby a boarder, is under arrest charged with inflicting the injuries which caused her death.

Mrs. Looney came to Dallas from Pennsylvania. Her husband was Mike B. Looney, former Alderman and ward politician, who fled while under indictment for alleged election frauds in 1902 and when last heard from was a military officer of high rank in one of the Central American republics. Looney was a native of New York.

Prefers Death to Creditors.

Louisville. — Herman Schriener, president of the Kentucky State Federation of Labor committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid. A not was found addressed to his wife, stating that he was so heavily in debt that he could not stand to face the disgrace.

Bryce Bails for United States.

London.—Ambassador James Bryce sailed for New York from Liverpool on the Mauretania.

STARVE IN ENGLAND

ENGLISH NEWS OF HUNGER AND FLOODING TRAILING ABOUT

MINISTRY IS TAKING HEED

The Government, Apprehensive of Outbreaks, Taking Steps to Alleviate Miserable Suffering.

London, Eng.—Alarmed by the outbreak of the vast army of unemployed in all the large cities in the United Kingdom, particularly in Glasgow, the ministry is taking a course of informal conferences on plans to maintain the suffering during the coming winter.

No steps are the situation that the government refuse to admit publicly that it cannot do anything that this would attract attention to conditions for which it is hard to find a remedy.

Throughout England, Scotland and Wales, it is estimated that 1,000,000 workmen are idle and with their families, a total of 3,000,000 persons are at the point of starvation. Of this number a considerable proportion is actually shelterless, as well as starving and nearly naked. All over the island entire families are tramping aimlessly from town to town, sleeping in the lee of straw stacks and hedges and living on the charity of farmers.

Dozens of deaths are reported daily from all over the kingdom in ditches, fields and outcrops, where disease-stricken vagabonds have sought partial shelter when too weak to stagger farther through the mire and incessant storm.

The workhouses and hospitals everywhere are so full that the admission of other applicants is impossible.

MOB TRIALS AT HAND.

Springfield Case to Be Preceded by Trial of Joe James.

Springfield, Ill.—Trials of participants in the Springfield riots of one month ago will begin this week in the Sangamon circuit court before Judge James A. Creighton. They will be preceded by the trial of Joseph James, the negro who killed Clergy Ballard and who may be said to have lighted the first sparks of lawlessness in this city. James entered the Ballard home about midnight and when discovered in the room of one of the girls in the family fled. James Ballard intercepted him in the front yard and a struggle ensued. James used a small pen knife and literally cut Ballard to ribbons. He was discovered at laybreak at the city reservoir, sleeping off the effects of the drug which had nerved him to the deed.

When the James case is out of the way the charge of murder against Abe Raymer will be taken up. Raymer is accused of the murder of both Burton and Dunnehan, the two negroes lynched during the riots.

COTTON GROWERS THREATENED.

Arkansas Farmers Commanded to Reduce Acreage Next Year.

Memphis, Tenn.—Night riders are organizing in northeastern Arkansas. It is reliably reported, for the purpose of reducing the cotton acreage for next year and compelling the holding of this year's crop at the minimum price fixed in the International Farmers' Union Convention, which met at Fort Worth, Tex., recently.

Three farmers in Craighead county, and a farmer's boy in Poinsett county, have been threatened by a band of the riders and considerable anxiety is felt by the cotton buyers and ginners.

Al Counce, one of the best known farmers and the largest land owner in eastern Craighead county, residing just a few miles south of Lake City, was approached at midnight by a band of the cotton night riders.

London Protestants are Jubilant.

London, Eng.—An enthusiastic meeting of the members of the Protestant Alliance was held in Caxton Hall, at Westminster Sunday night, where speeches were made rejoicing at the success of the alliance's campaign against the eucharistic procession, and a solemn league and covenant to defend the Protestant religion was voted.

Miss Cockrell Under Knife.

New Haven, Conn.—Miss Anna Cockrell, daughter of former United States Senator Cockrell of Missouri, who came here to attend a baptism, has been operated upon for appendicitis. Her parents, who have been spending the summer at New London, are now with her. She will recover.

Socialists Create Disturbance.

Buda Pesth.—The socialists Sunday created serious disturbances during the Eucharistic procession which was held in connection with the Catholic Congress now sitting here. The police used their swords to restore order and fifty of the rioters were arrested.

Salina, Kas. — The sleepot the

daughter of M. Newell of Damar has been broken after five days and a half. She fell asleep following an attack of nosebleed. She claims to have been awake some of the time, but unable to speak or even open her eyes. While her condition is still serious, it is believed she will recover.

Harry Thaw bade farewell to the

Poughkeepsie jail Monday and entered his new quarters in the Westchester county jail at White Plains.